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PREFACE

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In the interest of uniformity, the titles and letter designators for the facilities observed at these installations are identical with those appearing in the project requirement. When a specific facility is not observed both its title and letter designator are omitted in the report.

Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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SAMARKAND ARMY BARRACKS NW

(39-39N 066-57E)

SAMARKAND, SAMARKANDSKAYA OBLAST, USSR

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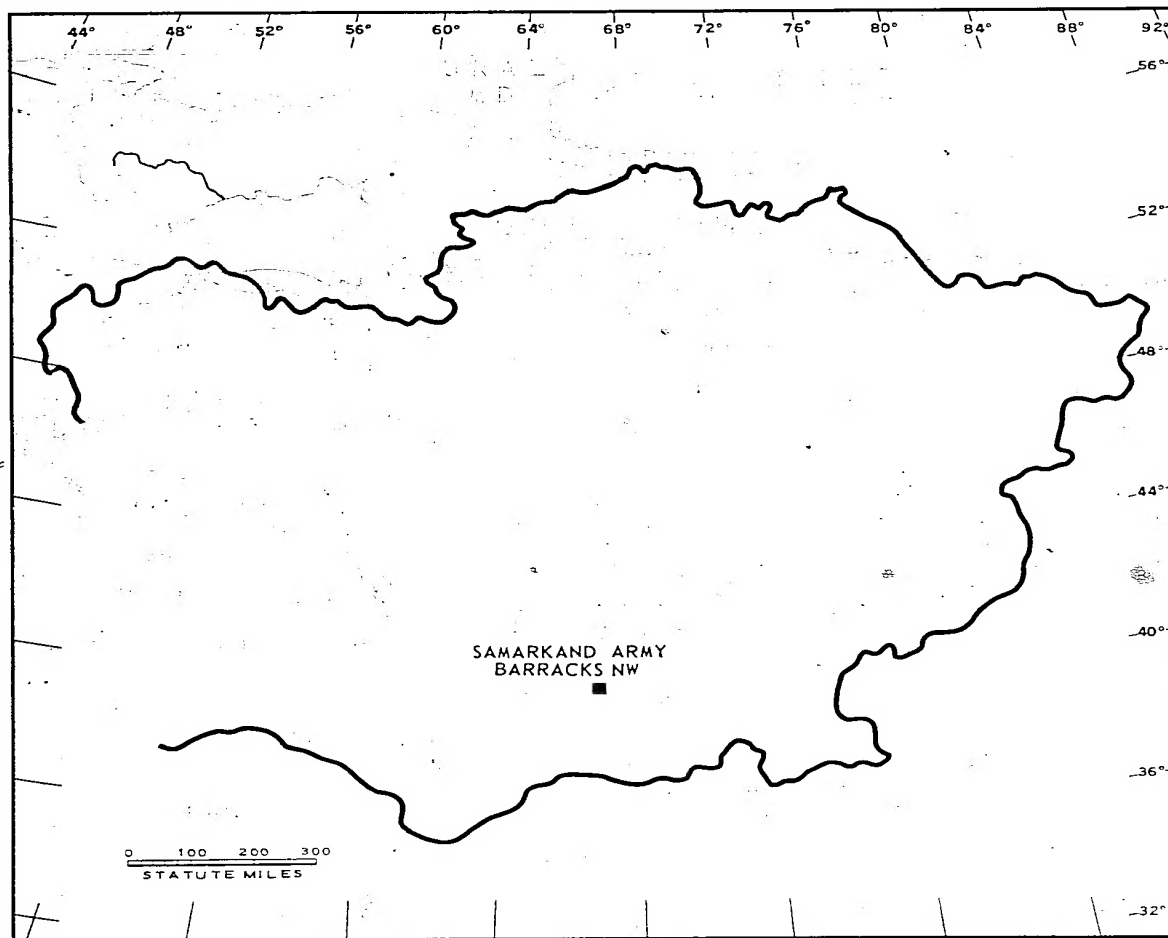


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF SAMARKAND ARMY BARRACKS NW.

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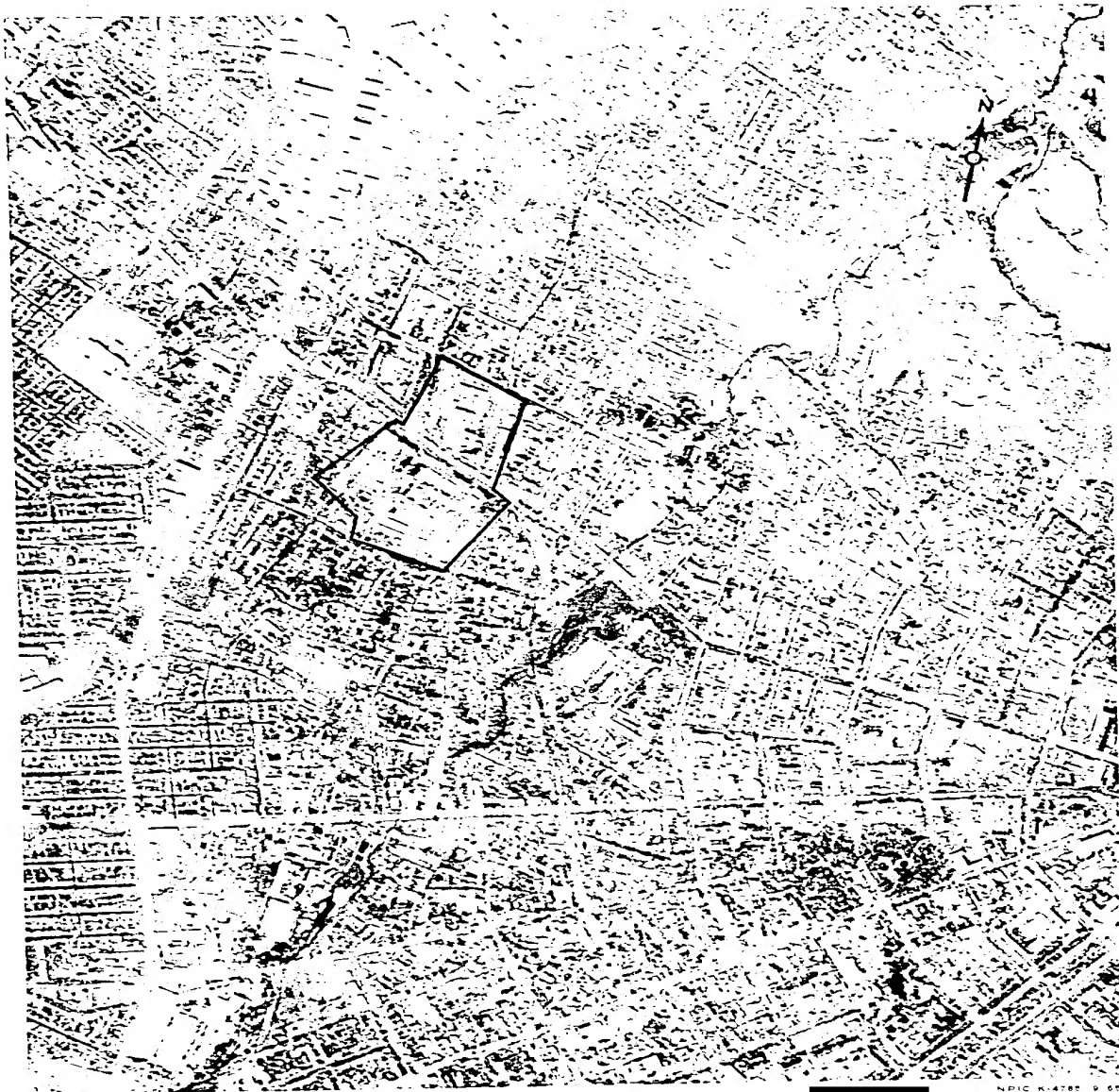


FIGURE 2. SAMARKAND ARMY BARRACKS NW, SAMARKAND, USSR, [REDACTED]

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SUMMARY

Samarkand Army Barracks NW is located in the west-northwest part of Samarkand (Figure 1).

The installation covers approximately 30 acres and contains 2 probable barracks/administration buildings, 3 probable barracks, 8 barracks, 2 storage buildings, 5 probable storage buildings, 7 probable vehicle sheds, 17 support

buildings, and a probable parade field (Figures 2 and 3).

The area was covered on KEYHOLE missions between [REDACTED]

No changes to the facilities were observed, and a light level of activity was observed on all coverage.

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DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Road Service

The installation is served by the Samarkand streets.

Administration and Troop Housing Areas

Area D1, secured by a wall, contains 2 multistory, U-shaped probable barracks/administration buildings, 3 multistory probable barracks, and 13 support buildings.

Area D2, secured by a wall, contains 8

multistory barracks, 5 probable storage buildings, and a support building.

Equipment Storage/Maintenance Area

Area J contains 7 probable vehicle sheds (two 360 by 35 feet, two 325 by 35 feet, two 250 by 40 feet, and one 400 by 40 feet), 2 storage buildings, and 3 support buildings.

Athletic Field

Area K is a probable parade field.

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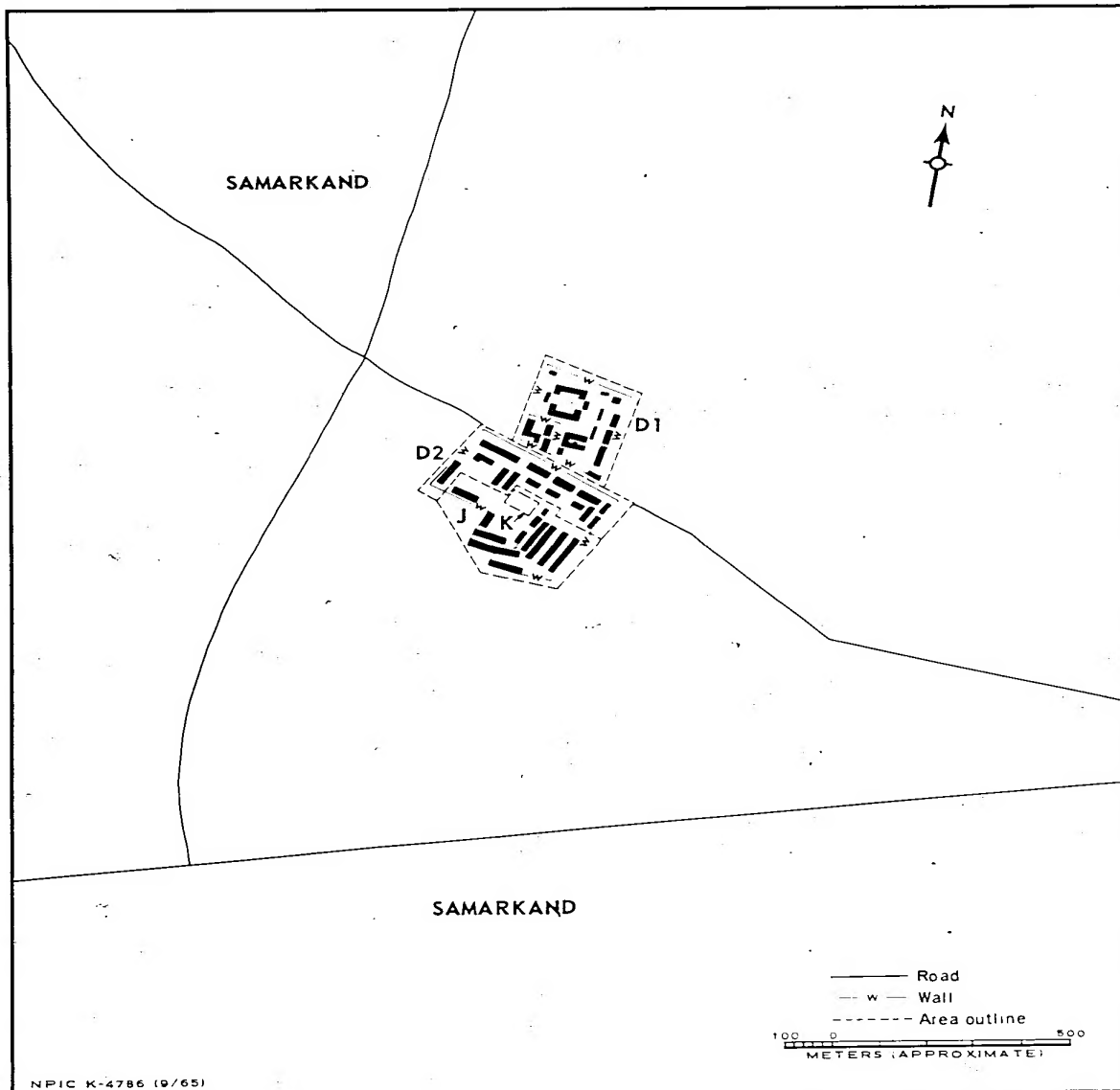


FIGURE 3. SAMARKAND ARMY BARRACKS NW. Sketch compiled from

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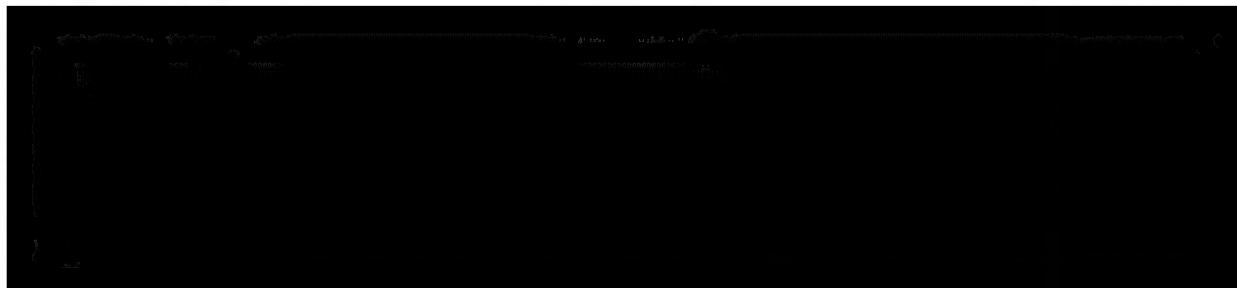
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